

THROUGH THE KEYHOLE

BY MRS. ROBERT CANNON

A SUMMER IN VIRGINIA is being enjoyed by Sara Priest Haire who is attending the summer session at St. Margaret's Episcopal School for Girls, which is located at Tappahannock, Virginia.

Sara Priest, Margaret Haire, Grace Elbert and Miss Ruby Tyler of Troy made a leisurely trip to Virginia taking time for tours of historic Jamestown and Williamsburg. On the way home Margaret says that they really enjoyed seeing the Civil War Centennial in Richmond.

We know Sara Priest will always remember these days in Shenandoah Valley in the shadow of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

AN EXTREMELY NICE TRIP was made recently by Mildred Pearce and daughter, Rosemary and Linda. They visited Mildred's parents, the C. S. Leves, and her sisters' families, the Jimmy Peaces and the Mildred Colliers, who live in Avon Park, Florida. After a visit of several days in Avon Park, they all went to Miami to see Mildred's nephew, Albert M. Collier, receive his M.D. degree. The new Dr. Collier, who is interesting now in Miami, is the son of the Mildred Colliers.

Mildred was accompanied home by the Jimmy Peaces and Mary. While here they were entertained by the Lewis Peaces and other relatives.

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us that she and Doctor McCreary had a most interesting trip to Nashville recently. While he attended to business, she saw the city and sights. Prior to their trip, Mary Canale (McCreary) Ward, of Auburn, and her son, John, spent two weeks here while John, Roy, was attending to duties with the reserves. Mary Canale and John visited her sister-in-law in Huntsville while her parents were in Nashville.

ALSO in that state last week were Poncey and George Collier who took Mary and Clive on a tour of Chattanooga and other points of interest.

BACK HOME from Detroit and many exciting events are Katherine and Paul Windham. Frances Jo invited Harriet Collier to go along on the trip and we know that must have been two of the ourst sights in the big city.

OUR TEACHERS seem to be playing musical chairs, but it all promises to come out all right. Mrs. J. T. Shepherd of Jay, Florida, who is teaching here in Elba this year, but regret to see Lilly Williams change her classroom here for the library in Enterprise. Mrs. J. T. Shepherd of Jay, Florida, who is teaching here in Elba this year, but regret to see Lilly Williams change her classroom here for the library in Enterprise. Mrs. J. T. Shepherd of Jay, Florida, who is teaching here in Elba this year, but regret to see Lilly Williams change her classroom here for the library in Enterprise.

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when she taught the second grade, it seems. And we would like to add our best wishes to this very nice lady who always has a smile and kind word for everyone, a trait that seems to have been handed down to all her family.

THE DINNER HOUR was seven-thirty and as we drove up the winding drive we admired the graceful columns of the house outlined against the tall pine trees. Martha Smith has returned home after a long stay in the Birmingham hospitals. Mrs. Lynwood Padgett told us how very much all of the family had appreciated the flowers, cards and letters sent to her father and how much they had meant to him. We agreed with her that Elba's people are the finest.

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY" was the official greeting last Sunday to Mrs. Addie Moore, mother of Julian Moore and grandmother of the five lively Moore youngsters. The day was spent with friends who came to dinner or to spend the afternoon or just to wish Mrs. Moore a nice day and everyone involved had a really nice time. Here for dinner and the cutting of the large tiered birthday cake were Mrs. Moore, Mrs. V.A. Mock, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mock and Mrs. Moore's Mother (Mrs. Estelle Moore) and Mrs. Henderson Blackman and Connie Gantt. Mrs. J. T. Shepherd of Jay, Florida, who is teaching here in Elba this year, but regret to see Lilly Williams change her classroom here for the library in Enterprise. Mrs. J. T. Shepherd of Jay, Florida, who is teaching here in Elba this year, but regret to see Lilly Williams change her classroom here for the library in Enterprise.

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from her learned some of the news about our Enterprise relatives. The Eastern new home was of much interest to all of us and particularly the men who had not seen it before. Doug has proved an able host and we complimented him on the magnificent job he had done on refinishing the antique furniture that is used throughout. The deep, rich color of the floors is heightened by the extensive use of white in walls, draperies and carpets. The use of natural woods in the lovely, old antique pieces that show the hours of work put into their refinishing was another touch we liked. The dining room, seen through an opening past the carved paneling of the staircase, is my favorite room, with its drop leaf table and the straight lines of a magnificent china cabinet to complement a nice buffet holding tall candles.

Household Hints
Blood spots can be removed from garments by applying a few drops of water and then powdering the spot thickly with starch. After the starch has dried, brush it off and the stains will be gone.

The secret of proper care and cleaning of barbeque equipment is prompt attention after each use. Line the grill with aluminum foil, then add sawdust, gravel or pellets. This helps prevent burned-on grills and absorbs drippings.

Sawing off the legs can verto an old, low chest of drawers into an excellent end and lamp table with bonus storage space.

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Elba Resident Sited For Job Performance
Seven civilian employees at the Army Aviation Center at Fort Rucker have been honored for sustained superior performance or outstanding performance of their duties. Receiving awards of \$200 each were Roy L. Hobbs of Enterprise, a supervisor of Engineers, and George R. Johnston of Fort Rucker, Fire Chief. Mrs. Eunice B. Boyd of Dothan, secretary to the Commanding General, received \$150, while Mrs. Gail S. Bandston of Ozark, a file clerk for the United States of the Army Aviation School, Mrs. Betty B. Foutwell of Elba, a supervisory clerk-typist for the Director of Instruction, and Paul P. Cedre of Dothan, a warehouseman for the Central Supply Division, received \$100 each. Adrian D. Cunningham of Enterprise, education specialist with the Department of Rotary Wing Training, received an Outstanding Performance rating without the cash award.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH
The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a source of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: 1. For his own sake. 2. For the sake of his community and nation. 3. For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. 4. For the sake of his eternal soul. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Behind the open Book, we see the Star Spangled Banner of the United States and the cross-borne flag of Christianity. Does this seem like a strange combination to you—the flag of a nation beside the flag of a religion?

Not at all! Look into the Bible and see these great truths: MAN IS THE CHILD OF A LOVING GOD; WE ARE MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE. Here is explained the DIGNITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL.

Now we begin to realize how close is the relation between democracy and the Church.

Our national flag, our church flag would not be here today were it not for the open Book.

Come learn of this Book. Come worship and study in the church of your choice this Sunday.

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Rabies Cause Death In Animals... Humans Have Died

CLINIC IN COFFEE
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Attention is called to the rabies clinic that will be held in the different areas of West Coffee County all next week. A schedule will be found in this issue of *The Clipper*. This clinic is being held for the benefit of pet owners. It is so very necessary that all dogs and cats be given the rabies shots for the protection of their owners, children and other animals as well as for the safety of the pets. Law requires that all dogs and other pets be given the shots or be destroyed as a safe guard to humans and animals. The rabies clinic is not a money-making scheme for the veterinarian holding the clinic. The veterinarian has set up the clinic and will go into the different communities so that owners may have their dogs and cats inoculated without the longer period of time required to bring them into town for the shots.

All warm-blooded animals are susceptible to rabies. Prize cows have been known to die because they were bitten by a rabid dog or wild animal some kind, which could have been avoided if the majority of animals had been inoculated. At least there would be less rabies if a large percentage of all dogs and cats were inoculated.

Rabies is an acute fatal infectious disease caused by a filterable virus, transmitted thru the bite of a rabid animal and characterized by an emotional and nervous disorder with reflex excitability, paralysis, and then death. Rabies occurs in all parts of the world and is especially prevalent in temperate zones and where there is a large canine (dog) population. It is widely prevalent in the United States but in many areas are relatively free of the disease due to the large percentage of dogs vaccinated.

The symptoms of rabies are those of a nervous or mental disorder. They range from docile to furious. The most positive diagnosis of rabies must be made on examination of the brainstem after death. This newspaper urges preventing death of pet animals by keeping them inoculated against the dreadful rabies.

Following an early breakfast, Mr. Folsom opened the basement door to go down for his truck for a trip to his farm and heavy black smoke rolled into the kitchen. Because of pressure he was unable to close the door and rushed to the telephone to call the fire department. The fire was unable to get a call through because fire had already destroyed telephone lines coming into the house. Mrs. Folsom had rushed out of the house in her pajamas and barefooted by the front door but he failed to get a telephone call through and started out by the same door, fire had already filled the room ahead of him. He rushed out by narrow back stairs and was followed by the bursting of large glass windows falling within inches behind him as he left the house.

Everything was destroyed including clothing, furniture and the many small items that are so valuable as keepsakes. The only clothing saved was that at the laundry. Flooring of the home and the brick walls are about all that is left of what was one of Elba's most beautiful homes in a setting of pine trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Folsom express their gratitude to the Elba Volunteer Fire Department who had the flames completely under control within thirty minutes after they arrived. Folsom is a member of the Volunteer Fire Department and joined in the control of the destruction of his own home.

Work will begin immediately to rebuild the home. It will be necessary to build all the inner walls as well as a new roof. Most all large plate glass windows were broken and will have to be replaced. Mr. and Mrs. Folsom are staying in a small trailer parked by the side of the burned home, the house-trailer they use for trips to the coast.

WELCOME TO HISTORIC ALABAMA
HEART OF DIXIE
GEORGE C. WALLACE GOVERNOR

MOTORIST from other states entering Alabama on U.S. Highway 29 from Georgia now get a big welcome from Governor George Wallace. The State Highway Department this week installed the first of the new "Welcome to Alabama" signs in Shawmut. Highway Director Ed N. Rodgers said a total of 35 more signs will be placed within the next two weeks at all major entrance points to Alabama from Mississippi, Florida, and Georgia.



JAYCEE PRESIDENTS — Charles Ellis, outgoing Jaycee president, and Paul Morrow, who was installed as new Jaycee president at an installation dinner meeting Friday night, June 28th. The Elba Jaycees have accomplished many worthwhile projects during the last year under the leadership of Ellis. A project they are now sponsoring and working to accomplish is the playground park on the Elba-Troy highway, just north of the intersection of the Elba-Brantley-Troy Highway.

High winds and a heavy rainstorm hit Elba Monday afternoon about 1:15 but no severe damage has been reported.

At the same time high winds hit Andalusia in Covington County and homes were damaged and power interrupted. Strong winds swept the Andalusia area during the thunderstorm causing damage estimated in the thousands of dollars. No injuries were reported there. Windows were shattered in the five-story Timmerman Building and the Milligan Building, located on the Andalusia town square.

A large awning was ripped from the front of a barber shop and a plate glass window was shattered at an auto parts company.

The home of former Pro Judge and Mrs. Hiram Bogden, Sr., was damaged extensively when a huge oak was uprooted and toppled across the house.

Electric power was interrupted to the Alabama Textile Products Company and about 1,600 employees were given the afternoon off. Electric service was interrupted to the headquarters of the Alabama Electric Cooperative, Inc. A substation serving the Andalusia downtown area was struck by lightning, knocking out service for about an hour.

Elba Little Theatre's next production, "Our Girls," a three act comedy, will be presented Friday and Saturday nights, July 12 and 13, at the Elba High School auditorium. Curtain time is 8 o'clock.

Elba is the first small town in Alabama to organize a Legionnaires To Elect Officers July 11

The American Legion and Auxiliary will meet tonight, Thursday, July 11, at 7 o'clock at the Legion Home on the Troy Highway street. This meeting will be an election of officers and for other business.

Speaker, Mrs. Joan Ellis, Department President Ladies Auxiliary will be the speaker.

Elba Jaycees Present Various Project Awards

LONG LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS SITED IN AWARDS CEMEMONY

New officers were installed at a recent dinner meeting of the Elba Jaycees. Paul C. McKae, WELB, by Jim Dowdy; Dr. James Clay, first vice-president; William Gordon Clark, second vice-president; Vernon Mickey, secretary; Jimmy Hornaby, treasurer; Walter Cox, state director; Charles Ellis, Jerry Brown, Waylon Sharpless and Bill Beaslee directors.

Awards were presented to the following professional men and accepted by Doctor James Clay, Doctor John M. Kimney, Doctor Donald Crook, Doctor C.P. Hayes, Doctor Phillip Ham, Doctor E.M. Watt.

G.A. Lindsey accepted an award for the Elba Bar Association members, including G.A. Lindsey, Bill Stokes, Lewey Stephens and Rowe & Lane.

M.C. Brooks of Enterprise accepted an award for a soft drink company. The Elba Exchange Bank was recognized with a special award for their contribution to the community.

Receiving special recognition was Miss Cheryl Clark, who was selected Elba's 'Junior Miss' in January; the Reverend Welby Bozeman, Elba's outstanding young man; Richard Jacobs, Elba's outstanding young farmer; Miss Patricia Ennis was awarded a local winners certificate in the Merit Scholarship for teaching contest, sponsored by the Alabama Consumer Finance Association and the Jaycees.

Out of approximately 400 girls entering the contest, Patricia is one of the 25 who are now in progress; social to welcome home the Jaycee members who had been on active duty for a year; sponsored the selecting of 'Best Player of the Week' during football season; had change of refreshments at Fall festival and sponsored a boat; sold candy to finance the Jaycee Christmas shopping tour, and taking 17 on-duty privileged children on the shopping trip spending approximately \$8 for each; had annual Christmas Party December 22, selected the Reverend Welby Bozeman as the club's outstanding young man to represent Elba in state competition; sponsored 'Junior Miss' contest; sponsored Independent Basketball tournament which produced some of the finest basketball ever seen in this area; made a formal community survey to determine the needs of the community; endorsed Coffee County being declared a disaster area, the only club in Coffee County to do so during the time livestock producers were suffering because of the loss of animals because of pasture lands being bare and the grain prices being beyond reason; sponsoring a sewage disposal system project; sponsoring a 'Religion in American Life', sponsored annual Easter Egg Hunt; was the first civic club to endorse 'Tommy Vaughan Day' which was such a success; entered Miss Patricia Ennis in the merit scholarship for teaching contest; sponsored Alabama Industry Days; sponsored a Jaycee Award Banquet, honoring those who gave the club exceptional support in their projects during the past year; sponsored the annual Southeast Alabama Fishing Rods.

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GRANDCHILDREN are lots of fun and, when we inquired, Jeanette Crook told us that her two had been here for a four day visit. Lynn and Johnny Crook were accompanied here from Evergreen by their parents and then spent several, delightful days "at Grandma's" all by themselves. And there's nothing nicer.

WE WERE PLEASED to meet Lorene Sawyer's houseguest over the Fourth, attractive Olivia Caldwell, who with her husband, Pete, spent a long weekend here.

The Caldwell's live on Marie Cook Road in Montgomery in a new home described by "Miss Auntie" Dorsey as "perfectly beautiful." Olivia was nice enough to extend to us an invitation to see her home and we'd certainly like to.

Also at Lorene's to meet her guest and to sip coffee from delicate gold china cups were: Hazel Lee, Carolyn, who chose a nice dove gray accentuated with bright stitching; Mrs. Dorsey and Bessie Sharpless whose shades of blue, Clara Mae Miles looked crisp and cool in charcoal checks as did Jean Paul in an embroidered yellow.

Thought Lorene's newly decorated reception rooms quite attractive in their dress of white accented by her pinks and orange in chairs and casual pillows. The dining room seemed particularly pretty with an unusual window treatment. Comices create an ecclesiastical shade that is dandied in gold and white draperies which create softness. A magnificent antique gold and crystal chandelier hangs over the dining table which is pink and gold as are the other pieces of furniture. It is all effective and pretty.

THE LITTLE THEATRE'S next offering entitled "Our Girls" and is a good, wholesome comedy that should appeal to all ages. The play is being presented on two nights, Friday and Saturday, July 12 and 13, and this is our first venture into a double performance. It is also the first three act play tried by the group.

Great excitement has been created among Little Theatre workers by the elaborate lighting system built by Tom Devine. This new device will allow for fade outs and dimming the lights as well as producing varied tones in light structure. Such a system adds great depth to any production as lighting alone can create moods. As well as adding to this presentation, such a lighting system will allow us to consider plays here-to-fore out of range because of lighting requirements.

The cast of "Our Girls" includes Jerry Brunson, Ann Proctor, Bobby Dewberry, Mike Corbitt, Lamar Rainer, Jr., Ruby Bruce, Sybil Taylor, Gayle Stephens, Robert Senn and Betty Joyce Ellis. Fleetwood Carnley is directing.

A NICE NEWSY LETTER from Nettie Low Lawrence in Florida gave us lots of good news about her family. She and Reverend Lawrence are happy in Florida and enjoying the new pastorage and lovely church. Virginia is at home now and will be until the seventeenth of July when she goes to New Orleans for another operation. The Lawrences are looking forward to a visit from the grandchildren before going to New Orleans and by grandchildren, we mean Annette, Bobby and Charles Lawrence. And we know they will all have a grand visit.

WE are certainly glad to have Ora Sewell at home again after she had spent a week in a Montgomery hospital and hope that in will soon be fine with her.

A LITTLE GIRL is eight years old only once and, for this occasion, Ann and Calvin Proctor, gave a dinner party for daughter Beth. The long dining table was covered in white linen and centered with a white cake embossed in lilac and violet flowers which set the color scheme. Down the length of the table marched single violet candles surrounded by blue flowers and greenery. To greet her guests Beth wore a party frock of yellow froth in lace.

The guests were: Lynn Marsh, Mary Collier, Vickie Grantham, Nancy Thomas, Bruce, Paula Taylor, Alice Brunson, Melanie Campbell, Ann Martin, Debbie Holway and Pam Davis.

OFF TO CAMP are the Dorsey boys, Kim, Steve and Henry, and things must be very quiet at Betty's house. Betty and Kimmy took their trip to Baylor Camp and then went on to Nashville for a nice outing. The boys will be gone for two weeks.

AN EXCEPTIONALLY NICE SUNDAY was observed at Betty and Walt Cox's home when Betty's family came to visit. The rain held off long enough for the children to enjoy eating out of doors and then stopped before time for everyone to leave. Here to see Betty's home and enjoy her fine cooking were: Charles Gordon and Nita Mobley of Abbeville and Charlie, Mary Helen, Becky and Danny; James Earl and Lewis Mobley and children Jimmy, Albert, Cynthia of Abbeville; Jack and Emma Mobley and Max, Jackie, and Tom; Larry and Hope Faulkner of Headland with son Jim; Mrs. C.G. Mobley of Headland and Mrs. Lett Bayett of Abbeville.

Smashing into the car ahead can be painful or several counts. Aside from the usually severe bodily injuries and car damage, the driver of the car behind practically always is ruled at fault.

Every driver should realize that he is much more prone to have an accident when he is emotionally disturbed or below par physically.

When approaching a bicyclist rider from behind, watch the way he turns his head, traffic police warn. The direction he turns his head usually will correspond to the direction he turns the bike.

DEAR JANE: My husband died two months ago. I am doing everything necessary to collect his insurance in order to receive benefit for the provision which he made for me. My neighbor has told several people that I am mercenary and have no respect for the dead. This is not all, but I can't tell you every-

thing she has said. Yet she pretends to my face that she is a kind and sympathetic friend. I never before realized that there are people like her. - DISILLUSIONED.

DEAR JANE: My wife is 10 years old. We have been married for four months, but things aren't like I thought they would be. She enjoys only children's shows on television, reads comic books, is not inter-

ested in the news or anything worthwhile, suks at the slightest offense, and her conversation is on the level of a 10-year-old. How can I help her to see that she is a married woman, and should act like one? - HUSBAND.

DEAR HUSBAND: When you rob the cradle you must be prepared to play nursery games. Time is the only

thing that I know of which will help your situation. HAVE A PROBLEM? Write Jane Madison in care of this newspaper.

Small mats of sandpaper can be put on shelves to prevent plates or pictures that are standing on end from falling.

Consider the cost per serving, not the cost per pound, when planning your meat buying.

Cut out attractive pads or pot holders from old felt hats. Wash and iron the felt, then bind the edges with bright tape to match the kitchen.

Household Hints

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Public Warned Not To Look Directly At Sun Eclipse

During the afternoon of Saturday, July 20, 1963, the entire North American continent will be covered by an eclipse of the sun. The eclipse will cause complete darkness in parts of Alaska, Canada, and Maine, and partial darkness in all other areas of the continent.

A solar eclipse results when the moon, passing between the earth and the sun, hides all or part of the sun from view.

The National Society for the Prevention of Blindness warns that there is a serious threat to the eyesight of every person who looks directly at the eclipse. Children are particularly susceptible to vision damage. Smoke glass, exposed photographic film, and dark glasses are not adequate protection for watching the eclipse. Even though the dazzling visible rays are blocked by an eclipse, dangerous infra-red rays are emitted. When focused on the retina of the eye, these rays can

cause harmful burns which are incurable. This warning of eye damage was given by widespread reports of damaged vision, especially among school children. The State of Utah counted 31 definite cases of eye burns after the September 1960 eclipse; all but five of the victims were youngsters. An estimated 75 children suffered eye burns in the State of Washington during the same eclipse.

There are several means of observing the eclipse safely. An image of the eclipsed sun can be projected through a telescope or binoculars onto a white screen. Do not look at the eclipse through the binoculars. Or a person may stand with his back to the eclipse and hold a piece of cardboard with a tiny hole punched in it. The small hole in the cardboard will project on the retina of the eye, these rays can

Coffee ASCS Taking Cost

Shares 'Til August

The Coffee County ASCS Office at New Brockton, Alabama, began taking applications for 1963 fall Agricultural Conservation Program practice cost shares on July 15, 1963 and will continue to take applications through August 20, 1963.

During prior years cost shares have been requested in excess of funds available and the County Committee has had to reduce cost shares. Some applications in order that all who have filed timely requests might receive at least a part of the cost shares requested. Producers who have filed application after the closing dates have experienced difficulty in obtaining approvals for cost shares needed.

Cost shares are available for forestland of permanent vegetative cover; improvement of an established cover; application of lime to permanent cover and to winter legumes; planting trees, constructing terraces; constructing ponds, planting winter crops and drilling wells to improve the distribution of grazing.

The Coffee County Office, in a statement today urged all producers to file applications during the sign-up period in order that at least a part of the farm needs might be met.

Salesman, Wife Nominated For Civilian Award

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alton Williams were recently nominated for the 1963 Civilian Award for the 1963 Outstanding Citizens.

Quoting from the nomination letter was the complimenting remarks: "Ruth and Alton Williams have always operated as a team in their many varied activities, having lovingly shared their money, time and most of all, their faith, with everyone they have known during their twenty-three years of living in our town." Good neighbors, top citizens, devout church members, goodwill ambassadors for Trussville, Alabama, were among the numerous citations given this couple by endorses. Mr. and Mrs. Williams reside at 308 Brentwood, Trussville, Alabama. Since he has traveled this territory for many years and has many friends here,

Farmers Urged To Report Performance

Farmers who have completed conservation projects approved earlier this year by the 1963 Agricultural Conservation Program were reminded today to file their report of performance for cost-share assistance.

Roy L. Ellis, Chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, points out that the earlier such reports on completed practices are filed, the sooner the ACP payment can be made.

The Chairman said that if a farmer has received approval for a practice which he finds he is unable to carry out, he should report this to his County Committee. This will permit the committee to approve another practice for him or for some other farmer in the County.

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First Baptist Church Sponsors Bible School

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The Vacation Bible School is for boys and girls, ages 4-16. The following ladies, and young ladies, will be working with the four age groups: Beginners, Mrs. James Clark, Mrs. Roy Bow-join, Miss Linda Thomas Primaries, Mrs. Cecil Prescott, Miss Sheila Smith; Juniors, Mrs. Eric Paul, Mrs. Sam Sawyer, Mrs. Charles Graham Intermediates, Mrs. W.L. Kendrick, Mrs. Sam Sawyer, Mrs. Charles Graham; and general secretary, Miss Harriett Collier, and general secretary, Miss Edwin Boone.

School hours will be 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday through Friday.

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